RESOLUTION NO. 2006-121

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL AWARDING THE CONTRACT FOR TREE TRIMMING (POWER LINE CLEARING)

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WHEREAS, in answer to notice duly published in accordance with law and the order of this City Council, sealed bids were received and publicly opened on May 24, 2006, at 11:00 a.m. for Tree Trimming (Power Line Clearing), described in the specifications therefore approved by the City Council on April 19, 2006; and

WHEREAS, said bids have been compared, checked, and tabulated and a report thereof filed with the City Manager as follows:

Bidder	Backyard Crew	Street Crew	Evaluated Cost
Trees, Inc.	\$95.89 per hour	\$77.04 per hour	\$172.93 per hour
Houston, TX			
Asplundh Tree Expert Co.	\$103.69 per hour	\$82.95 per hour	\$186.64 per hour
Stockton, CA			• -
West Coast Arborists, Inc.	\$198.00 per hour	\$132.00 per hour	\$330.00 per hour
Anaheim, CA			

WHEREAS, staff recommends awarding the tree trimming contract to the lowest bidder, Tree's Inc., of Houston, Texas, the City's existing tree trimming contractor.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Lodi City Council that the award of the bid for Tree Trimming (Power Line Clearing) be made to the low bidder, Trees Inc., of Houston, Texas, in the amount of \$350,000 for fiscal year 2006-07 (evaluated cost of \$172.93 per hour).

Dated: June 21, 2006

I hereby certify that Resolution No. 2006-121 was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held June 21, 2006, by the following vote:

AYES:

COUNCIL MEMBERS - Beckman, Hansen, Johnson, Mounce,

and Mayor Hitchcock

NOES:

COUNCIL MEMBERS - None

ABSENT:

COUNCIL MEMBERS - None

ABSTAIN:

COUNCIL MEMBERS - None

DENNIFER M. PERRIN Interim City Clerk

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